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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: Lixiao Wang et al
Serial No.: 08/685,338
Filed: July 23, 1996
For: HIGH COMPLIANCE, HIGH STRENGTH
CATHETER BALLOONS USEFUL FOR
TREATMENT OF GASTROINTESTINAL
LESIONS

Examiner:

Group Art Unit:

Attention: Application Processing Division
Special Processing Branch
Box Missing Parts
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Docket No.: S63.2-5902

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

1. In regard to the above-identified application, we are submitting the attached:
3 pg. Response to Notice of Missing Parts; 1 pg. PTO Form 1533; 1 pg. Petition for Extension of Time; 1 pg. Power of Attorney From Assignee; 8 pg. Declaration and Supporting Papers; 3 Checks for \$1,500, \$1,470 and \$130; VAS Transmittal Letter; and Postcard.
2. With respect to fees:
 No additional fee is required.
 Attached is check(s) in the amount of \$1,500 and \$1,470.
 Charge additional fee to our Deposit Account No. 22-0350.

CONDITIONAL PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

3. This conditional petition is being filed along with the papers identified in Item 1 above and provides for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time. If any extension of time for the accompanying response is required, Applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.
4. Please charge any additional fees or credit any over-payment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 22-0350.

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date

Granted, enclosed for filing please find an executed:

1. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date
Granted (Form PTO 1533);
 - a. Check for \$1,500 to cover the filing and surcharge fees.
2. Petition for an Extension of Time Under 37 CFR §1.17;
 - a. Check for \$1,470 to cover extension of time fees.

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3. Declaration;
 - a. Added Pages to Declaration for Signature by One Joint Inventor on Behalf of Omitted Inventor Who Refuses to Sign;
 - b. Declaration of Facts in Support of Filing on Behalf of Omitted Inventor (37 CFR 1.47(a));
 - i. Exhibit A - Letter to Donald J. Fournier from Luke Dohmen, dated December 5, 1996;
 - ii. Exhibit B - Letter to Luke Dohmen from Donald J. Fournier, dated January 6, 1997;
 - iii. Exhibit C - Express Mail letter to Donald J. Fournier from Luke Dohmen, dated January 31, 1997;
 - iv. Petition fee under 37 CFR 1.47(a) for \$130.
3. Power of Attorney From Assignee;
 - a. It is hereby certified that the undersigned has authority to make this certification and has reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the patent application identified herein and, to the best of undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee identified above (37 CFR 3.73(b)). If filed under §1.60(b) a copy of the power of attorney from the prior application is enclosed.

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of Missing Parts*

If any other fees are necessitated by this response, please charge them to
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Respectfully submitted,

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